themselves of his services, which were performed in the presence of a number of witnesses, in the Squire's office, at 4:30

the marriage contract was being legally sealed. The groom, in his eager desire to

wienesses; but, nothing daunted, after the ceremony, the happy couple, hand-in-hand, repaired to their wagon, and were soon on their way, in perfect bliss

Very rarely indeed has any class of me

New York Tribune. A correspondence of that paper has been exploring the un-

of that paper has been exploring the un-known recesses of Henry county, and is moved to make this touching acknowledge-ment: "The truth is, I bardly find a farmer in the West who reads or thinks for Immself who does not speak of Mr. Greeley as having been his personal friend. You will find the portrait of the founder of the Tribune banging in almost

question for a moment the correspondent veracity or accuracy, and how vividly do

the contrast between affection and duty present it to the mind! The tarmers lov-

ed Mr. Greeley; they looked on him as a personal friend; his deep and continued interest in everything which concerned their welfare had touched their hearts;

deserves more than ordinar

onor, and yet how many farmers there

were in the West who felt as the men of Henry county felt, and voted as they did —St. Louis Globe.

On the 19th of June two mules wer

reaching St. Louis county the thieves

capture of the thieves and the recovery

of the mules. The police kept a goo

they succeeded in capturing them. The proved to be Peter Kessler and his so

reputations not being above suspicide they were driven off by the citizens. They had, when arrested, rented a house

This house the police searched, when enough gold and silver watches, and jewelry of all kinds was found to start

went down and got his mules and to

city, the deputy sheriff, T. Ansell Boul-ware, with a few guards, having gone

over to assist in bringing them from Jef-ferson city.—[Fulton Telegraph.

The Chillicothe and Brunswick railroad

THE RAILROAD ROBBERS.

DESCRIPTION OF THEIR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

DES MOINES, Aug. 4,-A special to th

R. I. R. R. The man who seemed to be

feet aine or ten inches high; hair cut very short—his hair had a little sandy appear-

ance, though it would be considered light brown; no-e Grecian; not very refined, but a rather sarcastic, hard and bad coun-

tenance; brown eyes; looked like an in-temperate man, wore dark clothes; is thirty-five or thirty-eight years old. The fourth man—Dark complexion,

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## Texington Cancasian.

CIVIL AND UNCIVIL LAW.

DOME REPAIRS HEEDED.

Something serious is the matter with the code. The whole structure of criminal law seems to have been wickedly or ignorantly conceived. It has failed utterly to accomplish the ends of justice. The laws in other regards are equally insufficient. In fact. Missouri's whole jurisprudence seems to need repairing. It is well-nigh impossible to establish the charge of murder against real murderers ;-an impecunious innecent is as likely to be hung as a cold-blooded skullpuncher and brain-smasher is to go free. In fact, the prosecution of a criminal is fast growing to be a a silent, earnest, determined protest bazardous undertaking to the courts, as has rarely, if ever, been witnessed for the question seems to tremble in the balances whether the prosecutors are no vain boastings, no threatenings, or the prosecuted are the real culprits but more like the grim, austere bearin the eyes of the law. There is too much red-tape; there are too many use- to do are the advancing steps of the less avenues of escape; there is too much put-on chicken-heartedness rooted in the law. A scoundrel known to the courts, its officers, jury, and the whole community, as guilty of a eertain crime, is so hedged about by technicalities and irrelevant decisions of higher courts, that the scales are turned against justice, conviction is often made doubtful from the mo ment of arrest, half the victory of law is lost, and crime and criminals are stimulated, instead of being checked. The state is made to foot the burden, yearly, of bundreds of failures-escapes from the halter and solitary confinement, in the teeth of the law and its administrators-and the worst character of men are discharged, not by proof of their innocence. but by a failure of establishing some point covered up in a world of technical verbiage. Even where conviction is secured at great cost and delay-the court, jury, and witnesses escaping the death penalty by the skin of their teeth-a miserable law authorizes the Governor, through a superabundance of weakness, politics, usual party noise; if they would or greenbacks, to turn the culprit loose again to depredate upon the community.

Now, there should be some intelligent solution of these faults of the silence. We are not of those who te extend a free pardon or even comby a jury of twelve of their peers. It is an outrage to justice, the sentiment of the law-abiding and tax-paying people, and nothing less than a premium offered to crime. If it takes twelve men to convict a prisoner of well-established crime, not less than a jury equally unanimous should have power to pardon or reprieve. If it requires the unanimous decision of twelve jurors, with all the facts before them, to effect a conviction, surely justice would require the unanimous decision of not less than the same number, without the facts before them, to undo that

which has been done. Then there are the laws in relation to marriage. Was there ever such an exhibition of inconsistency? Indeed, it would seem that the purpose was finally to throw down the institution. Victoria Woodhull could not ask a better stepping-stone to the ultimate appibilation of the institution of marriage. There is but one step lower, and that is open free-loveism and prostitution. No license required. No legal inquisition into the propriety, to say nothing of the rightfulness, of a proposed marriage alliance. The preacher made a civil officer-the office forced upon him-heavy penalties attached, and no salary provided ; rather, a tax of 50 cents for registry laid upon him! The state shirks the responsibility, and the preacher is made to bear it. If he marries a couple who the preacher. He is expected to know how old everybody is, whether they have other husbands or wives living, and all about them. He, erected in the past ten years—its would rather lie to a preacher than knowledge of the purpose and tem- and bond-gobbling county court be walloped by irate parents. The truth of the business is, if a couple fail to get their marriage notice public description. The led the Light Brigade into "the about nothing. Such a Governor for a distance of about three hundred years. A couple fail to get their marriage notice public description of the purpose and tents of the purpose and te lished in the papers, they are as good mouth of hell" at Balaklava, were for a great state ! lished in the papers, they are as good as mouth of hell" at Balaklava, were for a great state!

as not married at all. Verily, it is not more truly pig-headed, than are these stubborn and stumbling notony of executive life, and taking to sink deeper and deeper, and the space & Ce. didn't locate in Missouri, commanders. For the old Demo- a boon companion of the St. Joe

That is the right place to settle these questions—not at a preacher's residence, often only five or ten minutes before the pursuing party, armed to the teeth with blunder busses and uncoupling tools, arrive on the scene of glory. We have too many laws, and too few good ones; that is the and too few good ones; that is the bave made. They should have re- Court.

coming session will open on the 3d of lieve the Democratic party means september, it will not do so until the 10th one week later. The faculty will be increased by the addition of Rev. W.

F. Mister, as Professor of Mathematics and Language, and by his lady as inand Language, and by his lady as in- times it has declined to sacrifice structor in French and Belles Lettres. name and fame for its perishing The school building is being greatly im- friends. A few months ago, it had proved, and the prespects for its future usefulness and success are daily brightenthe last opportunity it will ever will be seld for cash, at a considerable distance of showing by its works what

# IN EARNEST.

A Remarkable Spectacle.

Democratic party, as a party, were dearer to its leaders than love of the The public ear has been Southern people. Their vanity led tomed, for a half century past, to the them to nominate Greeley at Baltitom-tom beatings of parties - the more, when Greeley and all sensible men in the country begged them not te do so foolish a thing. But they could not remain passive. If Greeley should be elected without a regular Democratic nomination, he might feel under no obligations to give all the best paying offices to Democrats, said the great leaders. It was the offices after all and not the South Another denoit of \$500 in the Allense House after the sensitions.—[Lou. The case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the recent term of the Buchanan Circuit Court. In the case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the recent term of the Buchanan Circuit Court. In the case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the recent term of the Buchanan Circuit Court. In the case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the recent term of the Buchanan Circuit Court. In the case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the recent term of the Buchanan Circuit Court. In the case against the old Buchanan Country Court to recover the \$15,000 voted to the Northwestern Lonatic Asylum, but expended by J. L. Bittinger to secure of the location at St. Joseph, was thrown out on a demurrer during the fount of the pention of the lo more, when Greeley and all sensible shouts of partisans—the trite and familiar slogans of the average politician -that the stealthy steppings of the new revolutionists take us unawares. Can it be possible that s imerous order, whose ramifications extend into almost every neighbor hood of the American Union, ha said the great leaders. It was the offices, after all, and not the Southern people, that the Democratic leaders had in view. The Caucasian protested vehemently against the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We declared the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We great the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We great the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We great the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We great the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We great the suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither he popular as he was suicidal act. We declared that Mr. Greeley could not bear the burden, —that neither are still at large.

Another deposit of \$500 in the Allen
McCoole prize fight, which is to come off spect on the 5th at the such the been organized and carried forward without the noise and confusion, the din and shout that have so long greeted the ears of the people? And yet such is the case. Long-berne wrongs-abuses that have crept on steadily till they have grown irksome-have at last provoked such were despised. The Democratic parin the history of the world. There ty was resolved to commit political ing of a body resolved to dare and political revolutionists of '73. Only many which will come into the field here and there a word falls, as if to with a laughing-stock ticket for hands .- [Jeff. City Journal. reassure the doubting, that hundreds President, against the most numerous, powerful, and strongly comented party every known in an Ameria.

C. J. Corwin, for a long time the editorial writer of the Tribune, has been succeeded by P. T. Miller, of this city.

Mr. Corwin is a talented and able writer. of thousands of freemen are joining hands silently for the restoration of ed party every known in an Ameri-Right, a sweeping away of the corrupt party politics of the country probably have-1. The regular an elevation of the standard required for official station, the maintenance zation and ticket. 2. The Bourbon of the rights of the producer against Democratic party, with its organithe machinations of unscrupulous monopolies, and the liberation of a people threatened with a government based on a monied aristocracy. The practical tradesman politician of whatever line of party antecedents, although somewhat perplexed, ganization and ticket; and perhaps s not altogether discouraged. He one or two more. This will only knows there is something new and have the effect to drive large bodies strange in the wind, and he is naturof disgusted voters to the opposite ally enough trimming to suit it; but side. It will be a campaign whose he is not sure just now, and remains result will exhibit the humiliating non-committal. In the meantime great grange conventions are held In almost every township he hears of the formation of granges, and he wonders what is to be the result. If we are mistaken; but knowing as the Patrons would only make the much of Democratic pig-headedness city, met with a sudden death last Sunday. He had gone to the Grassy Creek Church to attend divine services, and was rave about, play the hewgag, and beat shall expect but little else. the tom-tom, he might be able to guess at numbers and temper; but

it has so often professed with its lips

-friendship for the Southern peo-

BLASPHEMY AND STUPIDITY. his inquiries are only answered by We are in receipt of a printed cirlaw at once. No one man, no matter what his position in political or of Husbandry to be the restoration Arrow Rock, Saline county, addresseither "Democratic" or "Republi- "D. D." The circular is a specimen can." We believe they mean simply of blasphemy and stupidity, entitled r a close union, the better to reform to outrank all other monomanial atthe errors of all parties and to strike tempts. Its heading is in these through mail, from the East to Texas, at the heart of the growing princi- words: "The Seventh Vial: whose passed through, being carried from Hannibal, Missouri, to Denison, Texas, 576 at the heart of the growing principle of aristocracy based upon accumu- effects are seen in the xix chap. Rev. lated wealth-that wealth which has Alleluis. Glory to God + Glory to been extorted from the source of all God. A Free Church-A Free State." wealth, the producing classes. This Lest such a title be insufficient to is republicanism in its broadest and convey the meaning of the befuddled project sense. It is the triumph of writer, we will add that a proposithe principle of the commonwealth tion to be signed by recruits to the over its robbers, those vampyres and new order, which the author blasparasites who produce nothing of phemously dares to call "The Socieheir own and live like lords upon ty of the Holy Ghost," is to the efthe wrongfully abstracted wealth of feet that they will leave their tenets the toilers. We long since lost faith about a future state, ceremonials, in the honesty of old parties. They etc., with the churches where they have had no higher aim than to di- belong, and that they will agree to vide the spoils among them, and "unite in public assemblies each hence we hail with satisfaction any week, and there discuss politics, genmovement which looks to a purifica- eral as well as local, in connection tion of the party politics of the coun- with the bible, music and prayer." try. For twenty years the course of Such stuff would be laughable, were parties has been downward. Corrupt- it not devilish.

### A WEEK OF WEAK WOODSON. He who doth those boots misplace

ion has been heaped upon corrupt

ion, till it has festered and bred great

er moral disease, and it was high time

that this appeal for salvation was

made to the source of all power, the

element, believing that they posses

both the ability and determination to

THE DEMOCRATIC FUTURE.

membered that "Ephraim is joined

et things right.

Or words to that effect. Silas the Fussed has climbed down from that ty she loftly reserve in which he has evidently long felt cramped, and gone lishing business. Some unknown into the card writing and letter publishing business. Some unknown ought not to be married, wo unto Allen county movement. While its poor wretch's head, which is loaded it is after all, can only take the words of leaders as earnest, able and patriot- would soon right itself without his the connubialistic pair, and every- ic-and its aim praiseworthy-still, aid; but true to his instincts as a body knows that runaway lovers there was an apparent want of cross-roads politician, police lawyer,

In other states, the laws provide that no parties can be married without first securing a license from the courts or clerks, before whom they where marriage is almost totally cratic party to be anything but the persuasion, hies himself away to the must certify on oath as to age, etc. principle, if party cannot also be laws! And this is the result of only

FOR SALE. A new Grover & Baker Sewing machine, with

### STATE NEWS.

ple. But the name and fame of the The chinch bug is reported at work on the late corn. A continuation of dry weather will increase their ravages, and the damage will be quite serious.—[Lou. Press.

The Pfleffers, of St. Jaron.

Latshaw & Quade, Kansas City, are

-that neither he, popular as he was, nor any other man could be elected as a Democrat. But all counsels

Joseph, were arrested at Seneca, Kansas. Aug 1st, on a charge of violating the Kansas game law. By mutual agreement. General James Craig and his son plead guilty and were fined. A noile prosequi was entered by the state in behalf of the

The cattle of Pettis county are dying off hari-kari, and it did; and from that of Texas fever. It seems the disease was day to this it has continued to break up into factions. The Allen county movement is but another one of the advises the farmers of the county to take the law for their perfection against the repetition of the outrage, into their own

can campaign. In '76, we shall services of the Grangers in conducting a paper they are about to establish in thi-city. Success to him and to his successo Democratic party, with its organion the Tribune as well, whom we well-Ebenezer Dixon of Jackson county re

zation and ticket. 3. The Liberal Democracy, with its organization and ticket. 4. The Liberal Republican party, with its organization and ticket. 5. The People's (or Allen County) Party, with its or-

"Garfield was invented by a seven by nine sheet, the editor of which had prob-ably never seen a five-dollar bill in his life, and Garfield would certainly be indignant now if asked to give five dollars of his back pay to that man. Trumbull was first heard of, we believe, through a little beat Grant, they did not vote for him. Henry county, from which the correspondent writes, and which is chiefly agricultural, must have been deeply attached to Mr. Greeley, but it gave him just 1,650 votes to 3,654 for Grant. A community which rigorously refused to yield a point of principle to the natural promptings of indication. paper is not so sure about Ben. Butler, and adds: 'Ben Butler says he was not made by the newspapers; but then it must ever remain one of the mysteries of a majority. This is our out-look for nature where Ben. Butler came from, and the Democratic future. We hope what object was held in view in producing John Hobbs a farmer living near thi

f the Philip Cavalry farm, he grew so much worse that he was compelled to dismount by the roadside. He remained there an hour or two, and when found, about three o'clock in the afternoon, was about three o'clock in the afternoon, was taken into Mrs. Cavalry's, and a doctor taken into Mrs. Cavalry's into Mrs. Cavalry's into Mrs. Cavalry in

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railcoaches on this continent. It now runs even palace sleeping cars, (and more sullding), built expressly for its own use. d passenger coaches, to which are attach-d the Miller Safety platform and the Vestinghouse Air Brake, will enable it o transport passengers in safety, prompt-less and comfort.

The two Kesslers arrested in this city or mule stealing, and taken to Calaway county for trial, had to be secreted in the woods on Wednesday night to escape be-ling mobbed. Yesterday morning they were again taken to Jefferson City for safe keeping. About one hundred armed men

The Democratic party is just now in a spasm. The question under considera-tion is the Shakespearism one, "To be, or not to be?" Some of its more saga-cious old-time leaders, seeing the utter futility of further struggle against the in-evitable, are urging the party to go volun-of New York, trustee, for non-payment out any more fuss, into of a suit. The road was knocked down for \$52,500. Col. Rice being the purchaser for a party of New York gentlemen. articulo mortis. In other words, It is seiously proposed that the Democratic par-y should fleally disband its organization and take to the brush. This remedy for Democratic misfortunes, we believe is the

Bohemian of the St. Louis press having insinuated that Silas the Fussed had bought an interest in the St. Louis Times, that lofty dignita
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sympathy with the lofty dignity with sympathy with period. Its leaders will not obey the voice of the trasses, or else, when they do obey, it is with a hesitancy and half-hearfedness bat show insincerity and untrustworthifeet high; long siender hands, did not look as though he had ever done a day's work In his life; his nose is a little Roman; blue eyes; looked like a man well educated and

we gently, and, as it were, unconscious-ing together in in their favor. by pushed a paper weight toward the end of the table where she sat. Directly it at-

# lowed coalition, in face of the disastrous results of last year's campaign, as fore-shadowed in the action of the late conven-

THE WORLD IN EPITOME.

The special election passed off quietly in Utah. Outside of the Gen-tile mining camps the Mormons were

Wholley, a member of the British Parliament, has arrived in New York. He comes to collect fands for the benefit of the Tichborne claimant. A fight took place on the 28th of June near Camp Verde, between the

women captured. from the American government to treat the ships of the insurgents upon the high seas as pirates.

The members of the Grand Army of the Republic in Hoboken com pelled a saloon keeper to take down

cers took place throughout the state of North Carolina on the 7th inst. It is generally understood that the amendments are all adopted. Washington Bartlett and A. State-

ham to the United States Senate. A grand reception, promenade

concert and ball will be given at the Ocean House, Long Branch, this Saturday evening, for the benefit of the Portland, will be present.

has appointed a relief committee t raise funds in aid of the sufferers of the late fire but desires the committee to seek relief at home without calling upon other committees West or East, unless absolutely necessary. It was extensively reported by the

agents of rival lines that the L. L. & G. gave no more stock passes, &c. this is not true. The L. L. & G. castle business.

exception taken by the counsel durconfidently looked for. The counsel not being ready with their bill, no offered a large reward, some \$400 for the action was taken in the matter.

kluxing W. H. Wyatt, in Madison county, Tenn., as reported in the dispatches, have been arrested by the citizens and carried to Jackson. Bail \$500 each, except Joe Rice, Monroe Nathan Fair and Geo Reni who were committed without bail. The safely to the sheriff of this county. Then, accompanied by two of the Metropolitan Police, he took them to Jefferson City, and on yesterday brought them to this lynching of Wyatt was a most brutal affair, and the story of his having outraged an old negro woman is indignantly denied by the woman

> The divorce case of Ann Eliza Young against Brigham Young was up on the 5th, before Judge Emerson, of Salt Lake City. The defendant's attorney, Hempstead, made the point that the papers were not properly served, inasmuch as the officers were appointed in the chamber and not in the court. Judge Emerson had the point well taken, and 'the plaintiff must make the service again. It is understood that Mrs. Young has attempted to compromise for \$15,000, without the knowledge or consent of the lawvers. Messrs. Smith & Hazen propose carrying the matter out, and a new service of the papers will be at once

Coronor Herman, of New York was called on the 3d inst., to held an inquest over the remains of Josephine Jameson, colored, a woman of immense proportions. The deceased who had been suffering from asthma and other diseases long time, weighed over 500 pounds. such an enormous size that the undertorn down. The remains were then carried through a broad alleyway to the street. The deceased was twenty-five years old and a native of the Eastern shore of Mary-

# GENERAL NEWS.

government troops and the Apaches. Three Indiana were killed and five

a German flag which was flying over

They are opposed to the railroad election of Geo. C. Gra-

The Mayor of Portland, Oregon

A Cherryvale, Kansas, dispatch says

at Barineas, nine leagues from Mosianville. The Spanish loss was seto the 19th of June two indies were stolen from J. W. Brown, Esq., at Read-ville, in this county. The thief or thieves left a note, threatening Mr. Brown with dire vengeance, should be Brown with dire vengeance, should be pure. vere. Thirty-seven wounded were

Daisy Breeze, the alleged murderer of his brother, Don Breeze, at Hazlewood, Ill., was captured in Williamson county. Breeze when discovered, swore he would not be the eastern part of our county, but their taken, and was preparing to make a desperate resistance, when a shot from a member of the sheriff's posse struck him in the shoulder, and he Twenty negroes charged with ku

though the murders by the women of a full-grown bull-dog, and in snape be of the Bander family in Kansas have of the Bender family in Kansas have yet so numerous, cold-blooded, and secretly perpetrated that your readers cannot fail to take an interest in any report that relates to the yet so numerous, cold-blooded, and in any report that relates to the probable arrest of one or more of hese atrocious creatures, since they have hitherto succeded in evading the law. I now have the pleasure of announcing to you the probable arrest of the worst of these women. The sheriff of Utah county has just discovered a hag near Provo who fully answers to the description of Katie about her, and straightway took her leave, other men owned by the railroad owners, called for the purpose of securing money from ministers, editors, friends, cripples and others who had been so favorably treated by the companies generally, that that near every railroad in the west was represented in the small business of agreeing to issue no more passes.—[Booneville Eagle.]

In a recent article we ventured the average in a recent article we ventured the average in that the partnership between Democracy and Liberalism had been dissolvent of the companies generally. The attempt to continue the unhal
Hout her altread owners, and straightway took her leave, not even saying good-bye. We nope she not even saying sood-bye. We nope she not even saying sood-bye. We nope she said that to toughest constitution could endure. She is one such as none but the toughest constitution could endure. She is one such as none but the toughest constitution could endure. She is one such as none but the toughest constitution could endure. She is one such as none but the toughest constitution could endure. She is one such as none but the tou

tion of Virginia met in Richmond the 6th. About 400 delegates were present. The convention was called to order by R. T. Daniels, Chair-BATTLE OF THE BULLFROGS. man of the State Committee, on Many of the citizens of Vermont

whose motion M G. Harman was Many of the citizens of vermont win remember to have seen on one-dollar bills of the Windham County State Bank a vignette representing bullfrogs fighting. This was engraved to commemorate the Battle of the Bullfrogs. The facts were as follows: "Many years ago, when the town of Windham was newly settled there chosen temporary Chairman. A committee was then appointed on credentials, and during the absence of the committee, Robert Oulds was called upon and addressed the cou-

An official letter, dated Balluno, Italy, says that on the evening of June 29, a terrible earthquake occurred there, carrying death to many and consternation to all. The dead are counted by tens of hundreds, and the material injury done by millions of dollars. Every fourth or fifth The Spanish government has building is made uninhabitable and asked of Minister Sickles a pledge the principal monuments are overbuilding is made uninhabitable and thrown or seriously injured. Everywhere the cry of anguish is raised and seeks for prompt and effectual

Senator Morton has addressed note to his associates of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, the American, and reverse their po- appointing a full meeting of that ommittee in New York city on the first of October, for a consultation amendments and for township offi- of proposed amendments to the constitution to effect a change in the mode of electing the President and Vice-President of the United States. It is intended to give the sessions of the committee in New York a dee were nominated for State Senate public character, and several leading by the People's Union party in San constitutional lawyers and writers on this special subject, will be invited to address the committee.

The World, in a double-leaded ed itorial on the Democratic party and its allies begins thus: "The natural allies of the Democratic party at the present time are two more or Portland, Oregon, sufferers. President of citizens, namely Liberal Republicans the Valley on the Valley and across and Farmers' Granges;" and closes as follows: "The true thing to do is civil and respectful, and not making to encourage the other organizations, as much noise as two drunken men but resolutely to maintain the Democratic stand of political doctrine, before 6 o'clock, being on the street, for unless the Demoracy can be again made a living conviction in the public mind, reforms of government will never be more than skin

The conservative convention of

Virginia, at Richmond, has adopted Monihon's corral.' I then proceeded resolutions declaring that the con- to the spot indicated, the gate of the trast of the condition of Virginia corral of Monihon & Starrar, facing gives as many passes and has lower under Conservative rule with Southrates than any other line doing the ern States under Radical rule dem- Mariano Tisnado, was hanging by onstrates the necessity of continuing the neck, perfectly dead, with the Mail advices from Cuba state that the Conservatives in the control of a severe engagement has taken place the State Government; that the chief purpose of Conservatism is to secure impartial justice to every citizen, native and adopted, white or taken to Mosianville and twenty more severely wounded were left at Vegnita. colored and to promote the prosperity of the whole people; that the Conservative party will judge President welfare of the people, and will cultiing the trial, and a new hearing is vate such sentiments in every section of the Union.

### A MOUNTAIN MONSTER.

Huge Serpent seen in the Mountains of Utah-It is as Thick as a Man's Body, which to enjoy themselves. I have and Over Thirstood the most intense cold in winter ty Feet in without a tire, and the greatest heat Length. in summer, and have never taken cold or been overheated." In spite [From the Deseret News.] of her eloquence, however, Mrs.

On the 16th instant Mr. Walker, his brother Sylvester, and their cousin, John O'Donnell's market shanty was dismantled .- [Cin. Com. Coon, were felling timber for Mr. Stan-dish's mill, in the right fork of Coon's Canon, about three quarters of a mile from the point of the mountain west from this city, on the high peak south of Black Rock. Between 10 and 11 in the morning a deer ran by where they were working, and our informant snatched up a Sharp's rifle and started in pursuit. When they had continued the chase for about a mile, due Grand Thanksgiving Picnic north, he was startled by a loud, shrill north, he was startled by a loud, suring whistle and hiss, which he at first thought might be a signal from an Indian. He came to a halt and looked about him, and heard the noise of rocks rattling southeast Lexington, Missouri, to his horror, he saw approaching at a very rapid rate a serpent, which he judged was between thirty and forty feet long, and about ten inches through the body.

The reptile's head was raised fully six feet from the ground, and his jaws were lifteen or eight page inches wide TUESDAY, AUG. 19, 1873. fifteen or eighteen inches wide, with large langs growing from both upper and lower

made him s art to run. The serpent, how-ever was too quick for him, and jumped at and knocked him down, striking him on the left shoulder just below the shoulder blade, going over him and down the tance, then he turned and pursued Walker, who had risen, and with a speed inspired by the deadliest fear, was making his way to the top of the ridge. Unfortunately for our informant, he stumbled, and immediately felt the weight of his monstrous pursuer gliding over his body. He gave to tell which was the most frightened, the man or the snake, for the latter did not but gliding across the body of the prostrate man, he slid off at a tremendous rate to-ward the ridge of the mountain and across it to the east side. Waiker rose and watch-ed his movements, and says that after crossing to the east side, the anake turned and re-crossed to the west side and went down the mountain a few yards and then twined himself around a large mahogony tree, where he remained, waving his head taker found it impossible to remove to and fro, flapping his tail on the rocks, and it through the front door, and it was the last he saw of him, for he made was taken to the rear yard, the his way back to his compenions as quick-fences of which had to be partly ly as he could. They wanted to return and hunt for the serpent, but the hero of the adventure was too weak from fright intend to go on an expedition to hunt the snake in a very short time. The color of the reptile was yellow, with a black mark like a half-moon on each side of his eyes; he had a beard or fuzz round his mouth, WORST OF THE KANSAS MURDEREES and what appeared to our mormant to be a crown-shaped mass on the top of his head. The latter was about six inches high and varied in color, being green, blue, where, yellow and red. The head of the crown was about as large as that His body was covered with ha six or eight inches long. Mr. Waker says

### MAMON GANSINGMITSIG

The pension recently granted by the government to Mrs. By bee, of Memphis, Tenn., one of the danghters of General Adair, of Kentucky, who was Governor and Senator from that State, and aided in the defense of New Orleans under Jack-CENTRAL FEMALE COLLEGE.

The patrons of this institution will bear in mind that, although it is amounted in the printed catalogues that the ed in the printed catalogues that the defense

The Conservative State Convenederal judge in Oregon.

"A VERY QUIET AFFAIR."-A Mex-

ican cattle-thief named Mariano

Tisnado, who was believed to have

been implicated in a recent murder

was hanged at Phoenix, Arizona, on

the 3d ultimo, by a mob of citizens.

Tisnado had been arrested for steal-

\$1,000, his examination being set for

morning," says a correspondent,

"everything was uncommonly quiet

the Valley, up the Valley and across

the river, all armed to the teeth, all

will ordinarily do. A short time

I saw the mass going toward the

court-house square. At 6:30 I again

went out, and asked what the ex-

citement was. A man answered, 'Nothing; it is all over.' I asked.

Where?' He said, 'Down around

on Cortes street, where the man

COLORED PICNIC.

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VE HAVE IN OUR YARD A GOOD STOCK LUMBER

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1873. NEW GOODS: 1872

IS AGAIN IN THE MARKET

as follows: "Many years ago, when the town of Windham was newly settled there came a very dry season. There are two large ponds in Windham, separated by an intervening strip of land of considerable extent. Each of these ponds was inhabited by a large community of the reptiles above-named. The smaller dried up and its inhabitants started in a body for the lower and larger pond. They were met in the intervening space by the community from the larger pond, and a fierce and long-continued battle ensued between the rival communities. Such was the hideous bellowing of the frogs during their fierce encounter that it alarmed the inhabitants, who at first supposed it to be the whoop of the hostile savages. But curlosity getting the better of their fears, they cautiously proceeded to the spot whence the hideous sounds issued, and there beheld the strange spectacle of two immense armies of builfrogs, covering many acres of ground, engaged in a fierce and deadly battle. This battle continued more than twenty-four hours, and when it was over the ground was literally when it was over the ground was literally covered with the slain, and it became necessary, to avoid the noxious effluvia, to gather and bury them. ENTIRELY NEW

SELECTED STOCK

ing a cow from B. F. Patterson, and was admitted to bail in the sum of Thursday, July 8d. "On Thursday The only noticeable feature was the

OR LADIES', MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

Which Cannot Fail to Attract ATTENTION.

H. J. E. AHRENS.

SHERIPPS SALE. While the New York police were BY virtue of two executions, one of them sued from the cierk of the Circuit Court Jackson county, Missouri, in favor of M. as W. E. Chester, and a ainst James G. Russe and to me directed and made returnable to the next term of said court; and the other of sa executions was issued from the office of the Common Pleas Court of Ray county, Missour in favor of Wesley W. Allison and William Smith, and against James G. Russell as William W. Smith to me directed and returnable on the 4th day of July, 1873, I will on FRIDAY the 15th DAY OF Alfglish 1872. engaged one day last week in the demolition of illegal booths at Washington market, Mrs. Martha O'Donnell, a market woman, sat on a box and harangued an admiring FRIDAY the 15th DAY OF AUGUST, 1873 made one hundred thousand dollars, and intend to make one hundred thousand dollars more. I have a farm of ten acres on Long Island support a husband like a gentleman, and a family in luxury, and I give them fast horses and carriages with

htty (30), range twenty-seven (27), and it southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of set too ten(10), in township fifty (50) of range twe ty-seven (27); also fourteen and one-half across of of the east side of the northwest quarter the northeast quarter of section ten (10), township fifty (50), of range twenty-seven (27 also the east half of the southeast quarter of settion three (3), in township fifty (50), of range twenty-seven (27), assembling as all the across the control of the southeast quarter of settion three (3), in township fifty (50), of range twenty-seven (27), assembling as all the across the southeast quarter of settion three (3), in township fifty (50), of range twenty-seven (27), assembling as all the across the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the southeast quarter of setting the second control of the second control of

WISHING to dispose of my property on Franklin street, I now offer it at a bargain. The lot is 50 feet front and has on it a No. I storehouse, three stories high, built in a substantial manner, with rock foundation; is 22x62 feet, and is allogether very desirable business property. Any person wishing to invest, will find it to their interest to give me a call and examine the place. If the entire lot is not wanted, either the vacant space or the building will be sold separately. If no sold she rtly, the place will be for rent.

may3.5mos CHARLES DOUGHERTY. TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Edward C. Holmes and J. Holmes, his wife, by their deed of tr

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TAKEN UP by Henry Carlye, living in Middleton township, and posted before in undersigned justice of the peace, within an far Lafayette county, on the 21st day of July, 1875 one bay mare, 7 years old, 4 feet 10 inches high-leit hind foot white; no other marks or branch perceivable. Appraised at he sum of \$65 by Geo. C. Fletcher and Arthur Barnett.

27w3j JOHN J. HALL, J. P. FATHERS, ac.

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